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**CONFIRMATION NO. 1092**  
**FORMALITIES LETTER**



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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

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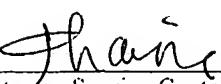
**FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$324.  
 \$324 for 18 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1194.

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Applicants: V. Faber et al.

Attorney Docket No.: LIZA118255

Application No.: 10/006,999

Group Art Unit: 2621

Filed: December 3, 2001

Title: METHOD FOR LOSSLESS ENCODING OF IMAGE DATA BY APPROXIMATING LINEAR TRANSFORMS AND PRESERVING SELECTED PROPERTIES FOR IMAGE PROCESSING

TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME/  
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

March 13, 2002

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Transmitted herewith are the following:

1. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

2. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.

3. The following additional documents: Information Disclosure Statement, Citation of References, and 8 references.

4. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee					\$370	
Total Claims	38 - 20	=	18	x	9	= 162
Independent Claims	3 - 3	=	0	x	42	= 0
Surcharge				+	65	65
Extension of Time				+		55
TOTAL					\$652	

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B. Request for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated January 2, 2002, set to expire on March 2, 2002, be extended by one month, to expire on April 2, 2002. The enclosed check includes the one-month extension fee of \$55.

C. Fee Enclosed

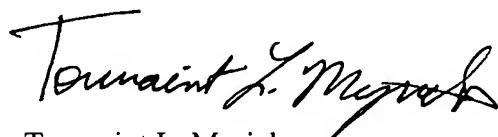
Enclosed is our Check No. 136853 in the amount of \$652.00 to cover the requisite fees.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. *A copy of this document is enclosed.*

Respectfully submitted,

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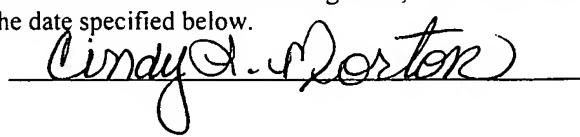


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